



Park Avenue Synagogue Bulletin



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113th Annual Congregational Meeting Thursday, May 18

Park Avenue Synagogue will hold its 113th annual meeting of the congregation on Thursday, May 18 at 7 P.M. A buffet supper, to which the entire congregation is invited, will be served before the meeting at 6 P.M.

The Chairman of the Board, Alan Levine, will deliver the Annual Report and Rabbi David H. Lincoln will install into office the newly elected Officers of the congregation and the Board of Trustees, as well as the officers of the various "arms" of the synagogue: Sisterhood, Men's Club, Parents' Association, and Women's Evening Group. Cantor David Lefkowitz will conduct the memorial service for those members of the congregation who passed away since last year's meeting.

A thriving synagogue community depends upon the interest and involvement of its members in the life of the congregation. Therefore, plan to attend this annual meeting, and if you intend to come for supper at 6 P.M., please call the synagogue office (369-2600) to let them know you will be coming.

Travel With Sisterhood to the Famous Duke Gardens Wednesday, May 10

Tour eleven gardens reflective of different countries and times.

Have lunch at the famous Jaspers Duke Gardens.

A bus will depart from the synagogue at 9 A.M.

Cost: \$45 per person, all inclusive.

Please send your check, made out to Sisterhood, Park Avenue Synagogue, to Vicki Wimpfheimer, 220 East 72nd St., New York, N.Y. 10021

Gershon Kekst To Be Honored At Seminary Dinner Tuesday, May 23

The Park Avenue Synagogue will honor Gershon Kekst, Chairman of the Board of The Jewish Theological Seminary of America, a beloved past officer of our congregation, and a current member of the Board of Trustees, on behalf of the Seminary, at a gala dinner at the synagogue on Tuesday evening, May 23, 1995.

In addition to Rabbi Ismar Schorsch, Chancellor of the Seminary and head of the Conservative Movement who will be one of this special evening's keynote speakers, Lieutenant General Ehud Barak, immediate past Chief of Staff of the Israeli Army and one of the rising stars in Israel's political firmament, will speak at this event. Often spoken of as a likely future Prime Minister of Israel, his speaking at Park Avenue Synagogue is a tribute to the importance of both the congregation and the Seminary in the Jewish world.

Born in 1942, Lt. General Barak joined the Israel Defense Forces in 1959 and was promoted up the ranks and served in a series of strategically important positions until, in April 1991, he assumed the post of the 14th Israel Defense Forces Chief of the General Staff and was promoted to the rank of Lt. General, the highest position in the Israeli military.

A regular participant in Israeli Cabinet meetings, Lt. General Barak played a central role in finalizing the peace agreement with Jordan, signed in 1994.

Lt. General Barak holds a B.Sc. in Physics and Mathematics from the Hebrew University in Jerusalem and a M.Sc. in Economics-Engineering Systems from Stanford University, California. He was awarded the "Distinguished Service Medal" and several other citations for courage and operational excellence.

Plan to show your warm regard and high esteem for Gershon by attending this celebration of his achievements and the contributions he has made on behalf of our synagogue and the Jewish community here and in Israel. He is most worthy of this distinctive honor.

To make a reservation or for additional information, please contact Randy Sobel at The Jewish Theological Seminary of America (678- 8924).

Donna Hanover Giuliani Will Speak at the Women's Evening Group Shabbat Service Friday, May 12



Donna Hanover Giuliani

At 7:30 P.M. on Friday evening, May 12, the annual Women's Evening Group Friday Night Shabbat Service will take place, with Women's Evening Group members participating in the service. WEG's guest speaker will be the First Lady of the City of New York, Donna Hanover Giuliani. An Oneg Shabbat in honor of Ms. Hanover Giuliani will be held on the Lower Level following the service.

Donna Hanover Giuliani is a contributing correspondent to WNYW-TV Fox 5's "Good Day New York." She also is an anchor of the "Food News & Views Show" which airs on the Television Food Network (TVFN-cable) daily. She has done hour-long profiles on celebrities and newsmakers including: Joan Rivers, Beverly Sills, Anna Quindlen, Sidney Lumet, Jessye Norman and others. For Women's History Month in March, 1994, she was host of a half-hour documentary on women in the city called, "City Originals: Women Making It Work." On occasion, she hosts radio talk shows and works as a disc jockey on country radio station WYNY.

She writes a monthly "COOL SCHOOLS" column on the Op-Ed page of *The New York Post*. For two years, Ms. Hanover Giuliani was assistant adjunct professor in the department of journalism of New York University.

Ms. Giuliani holds a B.A. degree in political sci-

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From the Rabbi's Desk

Not all that long ago we returned from a congregational Bar and Bat Mitzvah trip to Israel. What a wonderful way for families to celebrate this occasion, exposing their children to the land of Israel, its life, its history, its people, its day to day pulse.

We learned a great deal as we bused and hiked through the country. What most intrigued me were the stories of the Bedouins, the nomadic tribe that live in tents throughout the desert. We learned that the Bedouins possess an amazing ability to read footprints, and to tell precisely to whom these footprints belong. By studying these footprints, they can detect an individual's age, gender, and even nationality. We were told many stories of how this Bedouin skill has been a great help to Israel's army.

What I found most interesting was a particular Bedouin custom. The Bedouins have a built-in system of indicating whether or not they appreciate their guests. Unlike we Americans who play games by pretending we are having a wonderful time when in fact we are not, the Bedouins play no such games. If they are not fond of their visitor, they will serve their visitor tea. If they are fond of their visitor, they will first serve this person a cup of very bitter coffee to indicate that time spent without this person has been bitter. (This practice is followed even when they have never met this visitor before.) The next cup of coffee they serve the visitor is sweet, indicating how wonderful it is to be able to spend time together. The final cup of coffee they serve is once again bitter, acknowledging sadness of the up and coming departure. No game playing. That's how it is! Perhaps we can learn a lesson.

— Rabbi Elana Zaiman

Schedule of Religious Services

Friday evening, May 5.....6:15 P.M.
Prozdor Grade Kabbalat Shabbat Service & Dinner

Saturday morning, May 6.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.
Havurah Service.....9:15 A.M.
Tot Shabbat.....10:00 A.M.

Bat Mitzvah of Deborah Newman

daughter of Dr. Elana Unterman Newman and Mr. Jeffrey Newman

Friday evening, May 127:30 P.M.

Women's Evening Group's Annual Friday Night Shabbat Service

Saturday morning, May 13.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.

Bat Mitzvah of Jenny Rozbruch

daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Jacob Rozbruch

Friday evening, May 196:15 P.M.
Park Avenue Synagogue Singles Service & Oneg Shabbat.....8:15 P.M.

Saturday morning, May 20.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.
Havurah Service.....9:15 A.M.

Bat Mitzvah of Talia Sara Sekons

daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Sekons

Friday evening, May 266:15 P.M.
Saturday morning, May 27.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.

Friday evening, June 26:15 P.M.
Saturday morning, June 3.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.
Tot Shabbat.....10:00 A.M.

Bar Mitzvah of Taylor Jay Agisim

son of Judith and Leslie Agisim

SHAVUOT SERVICES**Erev Shavuot-Tikun Leyl Shavuot**

Saturday evening, June 3.....8:00 P.M.

First Day of Shavuot**Rabbi Judah Nadich High School Graduation**

Sunday morning, June 4.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.

Sunday evening, June 4.....5:45 P.M.

Second Day of Shavuot**Yizkor Memorial Service**

Monday morning, June 5.....9:15 A.M.
Hashkama Service.....7:30 A.M.

Rabbi David H. Lincoln and Rabbi Elana Zaiman will preach and conduct the services together with Cantor David Lefkowitz and Cantor Judith Naimark and the Synagogue Choir, with Neil Robinson at the organ.

Babysitting is available for children 2 to 5 years of age every Saturday morning from 9:15 A.M. to 12 Noon.

A Solomon Schechter Day School for Manhattan in 1996

A Conservative Solomon Schechter Day School on the East Side of Manhattan is projected to open in September, 1996.

If you have a child who will be five or six at that time and are interested in a quality secular and Jewish school, please contact Rabbi David Lincoln for further information.

Reminder!

Park Avenue Synagogue U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum Dedication Ceremony Trip Monday, May 15

Cost: \$90 per person, includes bus transportation to and from Washington and a box breakfast and box supper en route.

Last call for reservations.

Please call the synagogue office (369-2600) as soon as possible.

Sisterhood's Annual Spring Festival Tuesday, May 16

Sisterhood's annual Spring Festival, which will take place on Tuesday, May 16 at 1 P.M., will again feature the internationally renowned singer Phyllis Lynd.

Miss Lynd began her musical training at the age of 13 when she was awarded a Philharmonic scholarship. Three years later she won a television talent show contest which led to her starring in her own show on a major New York FM station.

After graduating from Brooklyn College with a major in French, she went on to The Manhattan College of Music to earn a master's degree in music. This was followed by concerts and club engagements both here and abroad, with a repertoire consisting mainly of operatic and musical comedy selections.

Her facility with languages and her interest in other cultures led her to folklore and folk songs. Her classical approach to these songs has made her renditions unique. She will play the guitar and be accompanied by a pianist.

Sisterhood will have its usual delicious desserts and beverages to mark this last open meeting of the 1994-1995 season.

Don't miss this festive occasion! Plan to attend!

Lag B'Omer

Lag B'Omer occurs on the 33rd day after the second day of Passover, during the seven week *Sefira* ("counting") period between Passover and Shavuot. It begins on Wednesday evening, May 17th and continues on Thursday, May 18th.

Special attention is paid to Lag B'Omer because, according to the Talmud (Yevamot 62b), a plague that had struck down many thousands of Rabbi Akiba's students abated on Lag B'Omer. Because of this event, Lag B'Omer also has been called Scholars' Day.

Congratulations

The Park Avenue Synagogue extends a hearty Mazal Tov to:

Jeanne and Jeffrey Bloom, upon the birth of their son, Jordan Luke Bloom.

Matilde and Manfred Brust, upon the engagement of their son, Jonathan, to Suzie Stark, daughter of Mickey Schaechter and Michael Stark.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fier, upon the birth of their granddaughter, Chava Ziona Gitlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kreinen and Barrie and Leah Modlin, upon the engagement of their children, Wendy Kreinen and Adam Modlin.

Women's Evening Group To Offer Program on Financial Planning For Women



Mary Ellen Spiegel

At 7:30 P.M. on Monday, May 15, the Women's Evening Group will host a program designed to assist women in planning for their long-term financial security. The evening's guest speaker will be Mary Ellen Spiegel, founder and principal of FISCAL PLUS, a financial planning service specifically designed for women.

Ms. Spiegel is licensed by the National Association of Securities Dealers as a broker of variable annuities, life insurance, and mutual funds and is a registered representative of The Equitable Financial Group.

She holds an MBA degree from Columbia University and is pursuing an additional advanced degree in financial planning at New York University.

Using an interactive format, each person will have the opportunity to prepare her own individual "financial inventory" and participate in a "Fiscal Fitness Checkup" to assess her own degree of financial awareness. Among the topics to be covered are:

- Defining specific investment needs and goals
- Maximizing return on one's investments
- Vehicles for the protection and accumulation of one's assets

The program is open to all women members of the congregation.

We Take Pride In

Dr. Sylvia N. Friedman, who was honored for her devoted service as former president and continuing member of the Executive Committee of the New York Association for New Americans.

Milton Handler, professor emeritus at Columbia Law School and a senior partner in Kaye, Scholer, Fierman, Hayes & Handler, who received a 1995 John Jay Award from Columbia College.

Donna Hanover Giuliani

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ence from Stanford University and a master's degree in broadcast journalism from Columbia University's Graduate School of Journalism.

She has received numerous awards for excellence in journalism, including the San Francisco State University Broadcasts Award (1989) for "Suffer the Children," a series on child abuse, and the New York State Associated Press Broadcasters' Association Award (1984) for "A Profile of Bobby Williams, a Handicapped Child." She is known to be a firm advocate for women and children.

Sheila Miller is chairperson for this Shabbat Service, in coordination with Rabbi David H. Lincoln and Cantor David Lefkowitz, and assisted by Karen Frankel, Margie Price, and Mimi Sunkin.

Members of the congregation and their guests are cordially invited to attend both the service and the Oneg Shabbat, to hear and greet Ms. Hanover Giuliani. So mark your calendar and plan to attend!

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Rabbi Nadich Participated in Ceremonies Marking the 50th Anniversary of the Liberation of the Nazi Concentration Camps

Rabbi Judah Nadich spoke in Washington on April 26th at a city-wide observance of the 50th anniversary of the end of World War II in Europe and the liberation of Jewish survivors in the concentration camps in Germany and Austria. The

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Drucker: *The Family Treasury of Jewish Holidays*

Fried: *Children and Fools*

Guzik, ed.: *Genealogical Resources in the Metropolitan Area*

The library will be closed on the following dates in May and June:

– Sunday and Monday, May 28 and 29.

– Sunday and Monday, June 4 and 5.

It will hold to its regular schedule of hours through Thursday, June 1st. On June 6, 7, and 8, the library will be open from 11 A.M. to 2 P.M. After June 8, the library will close for the summer and will reopen on Monday, September 11th. Please be sure to return all books before the summer. Summer loans will be available as of May 10th.

May Events in the Mazer School of Religious Studies

• On Thursday, May 4 and Monday, May 8, students will celebrate "Yom Haatzmaut," Israel Independence Day, with music, dance, and, of course, food.

• On Friday, May 5 at 6:15 P.M., the Prozdor grade will participate in the Friday night Kabbalat Shabbat Service in the Main Sanctuary. A Shabbat dinner for the students and their families will follow the service.

• On Saturday, May 6 from 10 A.M. to 12 Noon, the Daled grade will hold its third Parent/Student "Together" Program in Room 308.

Rabbi Lincoln and Rabbi Zaiman Will Conduct a Tikun Leyl Shavuot

It is a Jewish tradition to spend the first night of Shavuot studying Torah, because it is on Shavuot that we celebrate the giving of the Torah to Moses and the Jewish people. This tradition is called Tikun Leyl Shavuot.

On Saturday evening, June 3 at 8:00 P.M., Cantor David Lefkowitz, together with the Synagogue Choir, will conduct a special Festival service which will be followed by study sessions with both Rabbi David H. Lincoln and Rabbi Elana Zaiman. Their topics will be announced at a later date.

Cheesecake, in honor of the tradition of eating dairy foods on Shavuot, and coffee will be served after the study sessions.

May Events in the Rabbi Judah Nadich High School

• On Friday night, May 12 and Saturday, May 13, the high school students will go on their annual Spring Retreat, where they will have the opportunity to enjoy nature, relax, and form stronger relationships with their peers.

• On Wednesday, May 31, the high school will have an end-of-year cookout on the roof.

• On Sunday, June 4, the first day of Shavuot, the high school graduation ceremony will take place during the service which begins at 9:15 A.M. The high school graduates will participate in the service and in the reading of Megillat Ruth. They will share their thoughts about and experiences in our high school with the congregation. All high school students and their families are invited to participate in the graduation service. A luncheon, in honor of the graduates, compliments of the Park Avenue Synagogue, will follow the service.

Melamed Club for Young Singles 21-39 Wednesday, May 24 7:15 P.M.

An evening of good food, wine and socializing in a pleasant and friendly atmosphere.
Cost: \$20 per person.

Please call the synagogue (369-2600) to make your reservation or for additional information.

The Rabbi Judah Nadich High School Graduation on Shavuot Sunday, June 4

The graduating ceremony for students in the Rabbi Judah Nadich High School will take place on the first day of Shavuot, Sunday, June 4th.

The service will begin at 9:15 A.M. The high school students will read from the Book of Ruth and will share their thoughts about and experiences in the high school with the congregation. Then, a luncheon, in honor of the graduates, compliments of the Park Avenue Synagogue, will follow the service.

Graduating this year are:

Kenny Eichenbaum
Alexis Gerber

Eric Nelson
Michael Pollak

Rabbi Nadich

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event was sponsored by the Jewish Community Council of Greater Washington.

In addition, he was interviewed at length on motion picture film for the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum in connection with the 50th anniversary exhibit.

Earlier in that week, on Sunday evening, April 23, he addressed the congregation of Temple B'nai Sholom in Rockville Center upon that congregation's observance of Holocaust Day.

Pictures of Rabbi Nadich in war-time activities and letters sent to him at that time are on exhibit at the Museum of American Jewish Military History of the Jewish War Veterans in Washington.

During World War II, Rabbi Nadich served as senior Jewish chaplain with the American Army in Europe and, after the capture of the camps, as advisor to General Eisenhower on Jewish Affairs.

Men's Club Comedy Night at "Chicago City Limits"

(an Improvisational Theater Group)

Thursday, May 11 – 8:30 P.M.
\$25 per person

Join the Men's Club for an evening of non-stop side-splitting hilarity.
Please call Les Agisim at 371-3933 to reserve your place.

All About Shavuot

Shavuot, the Festival of Weeks or Pentacost, is celebrated exactly seven weeks after Passover. It is observed for one day in Israel and for two days for those of us who live in the diaspora.

Originally, Shavuot was solely an agricultural festival, a time of ceremony and rejoicing when the first fruits were brought to Jerusalem. But, in time, it became associated historically with the giving of the Torah on Mount Sinai.

During the services on this Festival, we read the Ten Commandments and the general theme is the Jewish love of learning. Also, the Book of Ruth is read at this time because it shows the great devotion of Ruth to her adopted faith and people.

Among the customs associated with this Festival are decorating the synagogue with flowers, all night study (Tikun Leyl Shavuot), and the eating

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of dairy foods which is symbolic of the concept of Israel as the land of milk and honey.

Snack 'N Study Sessions Thursdays at 12 Noon in May

The schedule of the Thursday 12 Noon to 1 P.M. Snack 'N Study Sessions with the members of the clergy and the topics to be discussed during the month of May are as follows:

- May 4, Cantor Judith Naimark's topic will be Yom Haatzmaut
- May 11, Rabbi David H. Lincoln will discuss "What's new in the Jewish world?"
- May 18, Rabbi Elana Zaiman will conduct text study
- May 25, Rabbi David H. Lincoln will discuss "What's new in the Jewish world?"

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Condolences

The Park Avenue Synagogue extends its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved of our congregation and to their families. To:

Mr. Robert Altman, upon the death of this brother, Irving Altman.

Mrs. Marilyn Berman, upon the death of her mother, Florence Solomon.

Daniel, David, and Debra Wolkenfeld, upon the death of their father, Dr. Fred Wolkenfeld.

Dr. Jo Wolkenfeld, upon the death of her husband, Dr. Fred Wolkenfeld.

Contributions

Synagogue Offerings (Before March 1st)

Mr. & Mrs. Leo Silverstein, in honor of the birth of Zachary to Michael and Sandy Silverstein, and the marriage of Paul Silverstein to Kimberly Morris.

Mrs. Estelle Stein, in memory of her husband, Dr. Alexander Stein.

Mr. Philip Swartz, in honor of his birthday.

Mrs. Jutta Tannhauser, in honor of her birthday.

Ms. Rosalyn Tauber, in memory of Shlomo Tauber, grandfather of Susan Brous Silverman.

Mrs. Isaac Toubin, in memory of her husband, Rabbi Isaac Toubin.

Mrs. Nancy Treiger, in memory of her mother, Ann Davis.

Mrs. Nancy Treiger, in memory of her aunt, Betty Rosenfeld.

Mrs. Miriam Wallerstein, in memory of Kurt Hurst.

Mrs. Miriam Wallerstein, in honor of the Bat Mitzvah of Amanda Hurst.

Mrs. Miriam Wallerstein, in honor of the Bar Mitzvah of Justin Karr.

Mr. Daniel Weller, in honor of his birthday.

Ms. Irene Winkelman, in memory of her mother, Gussie Glass.

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Wolf, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Dr. & Mrs. Jonathan Zeichner, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Penny Zorn, in memory of her mother, Fay D. Shapiro.

Synagogue Offerings (After March 1st)

Ms. Mollie Abrams, in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Elias Bayer, in memory of her husband, Elias Bayer.

Frances & Herman Berger, in honor of Fannie Beller's special birthday.

Mrs. Ernestine Bernstein, in memory of her father, Alexander Wolf.

Mr. Louis B. Bernstein, in honor of his birthday.

Mrs. Vivian Bernstein, in honor of her birthday.

Mr. Wolfe Charney, in memory of his father and mother, Rabbi Aaron Reuben Charney and Miriam Charney.

Caren & Arturo Constantiner, in honor of Susan Lemor's 40th birthday.

Mrs. Phyllis Cornell, in memory of her husband, Albert Cornell.

Mr. Harry A. Dubin, in memory of Juliette Dubin.

Judge & Mrs. David N. Edelstein, in celebration of their birthdays and wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Irene Eisenberg, in honor of her 85th birthday.

Mr. & Mrs. James Emden, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Ruth & Jimmy Ezra, in honor of Purim.

Mrs. Estella Feldman, in honor of her birthday.

Sylvia & Arthur Fine, in memory of their friend Max Halpert.

Mr. & Mrs. Irving Fletcher, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. Steven Friedman, in memory of his father, Jerome H. Friedman.

Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Fuhrman, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. A. Stanley Gluck, in memory of his brother, Joseph Gluck.

Mrs. Irving Goodstein, in memory of her father, Louis Franklin.

Mr. & Mrs. Peter Howard

Ann K. Hurwitz, in honor of Varda Hubara on her 25th anniversary with Park Avenue Synagogue Religious School.

Mrs. Beverly Jacoby, in memory of her father, Ben Schreiber.

The Kekst Family, in memory of Mr. Kurt Hurst.

Mr. & Mrs. Harry Krieger, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Florence Lapidus, in memory of Samuel & Anne Schmerzler.

Mrs. Sylvia Lasdon, in honor of her birthday.

Mrs. Joan Lefkowitz, in memory of her father, Irving J. Mintzer.

Mrs. Leona Leon, in memory of her father, David Benjamin.

Dr. Nathan Levin, in memory of his father, Simon Levin.

Mrs. Celia Levine, in memory of her sister and best friend, Shirley Schreiber Seiler.

Mr. & Mrs. Ezra Mager, in memory of Susan Lincoln's mother, Golda Redom.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div>REMEMBER THE DAILY MINYANIM Monday - Friday at 7:15 A.M. Sundays and Legal Holidays at 9 A.M. Sunday - Thursday at 5:45 P.M. Saturday at 6:00 P.M.</div>	1 7:30 P.M. WEG Board Meeting	2 8 A.M. Talmud on Tuesday Morning 1 P.M. Retirees Group	3 7 P.M. Sherr Institute Course: An Introduction to Judaism	4 Israel Independence Day 12 Noon Snack 'N Study Session	5 6:15 P.M. Friday Night Service Prozdor Grade Kabbalat Shabbat Service & Dinner Light Candles 7:36 P.M.	6 7:30 A.M. Hashkama Service 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service 9:15 A.M. Havurah Service 10:00 A.M. Tot Shabbat Bat Mitzvah of Deborah Newman 6 P.M. Afternoon & Evening Service & Study
7	8	9 8 A.M. Talmud on Tuesday Morning 1 P.M. Retirees Group 7 P.M. Parents' Association Meeting 7:30 P.M. PAS Support Group 8 P.M. Men's Club Board Meeting	10 9 A.M. Sisterhood Trip to Duke Gardens 7 P.M. Sherr Institute Course: An Introduction to Judaism	11 12 Noon Snack 'N Study Session 8:30 P.M. Men's Club Comedy Night	12 7:30 P.M. WEG Friday Night Shabbat Service Light Candles 7:43 P.M.	13 7:30 A.M. Hashkama Service 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service Bat Mitzvah of Jenny Rozbruch 6 P.M. Afternoon & Evening Service & Study
14	15 7:15 A.M. PAS Trip to Washington, D.C. for Dedication Ceremony 7:30 P.M. WEG Open Meeting	16 8 A.M. Talmud on Tuesday Morning 1 P.M. Sisterhood Spring Festival Retirees Group	17	18 Lag B'Omer 12 Noon Snack 'N Study Session 6 P.M. 113th Annual Congregational Supper & Meeting	19 6:15 P.M. Friday Night Service 8:15 P.M. PAS Singles Service & Oneg Shabbat Light Candles 7:50 P.M.	20 7:30 A.M. Hashkama Service 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service 9:15 A.M. Havurah Service Bat Mitzvah of Talia Sara Sekons 6 P.M. Afternoon & Evening Service & Study
21	22	23 8 A.M. Talmud on Tuesday Morning 1 P.M. Retirees Group 6 P.M. Seminary Dinner	24 7:15 P.M. Melamed Club	25 12 Noon Snack 'N Study Session	26 6:15 P.M. Friday Night Service Light Candles 7:56 P.M.	27 7:30 A.M. Hashkama Service 9:15 A.M. Shabbat Service 6 P.M. Afternoon & Evening Service & Study
28	29 Memorial Day	30 8 A.M. Talmud on Tuesday Morning 1 P.M. Retirees Group	31	<div>JUDAICA CLASSICS & RIMONIM BOOKSELLERS at PARK AVENUE SYNAGOGUE Schedule of Hours: Monday 12 Noon - 6 P.M. Tuesday 12 Noon - 7 P.M. Wednesday 11 A.M. - 6 P.M. Thursday 11 A.M. - 6 P.M. Sunday 10 A.M. - 1 P.M.</div>		<div>THE EDMOND DE ROTHSCHILD LIBRARY Library Hours: Sundays 9:30 - 12:30 P.M. Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays 3 - 6 P.M. Wednesdays 3:30 - 6:30 P.M.</div>

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Mr. & Mrs. Alvin B. Marks, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
 Mrs. Phyllis Millstein, in honor of her birthday.
 Howard Muchnick & Sue Schwartz, in honor of their son, Adam Muchnick, who was 6 years of age on February 21, 1995.
 Mrs. Michelle Pollack, in memory of her father, Gilbert Goldfarb.
 Sandra & Herman Rosen, in memory of her father, Morris Ratzkin.
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 Ms. Carole Bayer Sager, in memory of her father, Elias Bayer.
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 Major Max L. Shulman, in memory of his brother, Abraham Shulman.
 Mrs. Sitta Simon, in memory of her father, David Blum.
 Mr. Arthur Spinner, in honor of his birthday.
 Mr. & Mrs. Eric Stiebel, in honor of their 58th wedding anniversary.
 Dr. Sidney Stillman, in honor of his birthday.
 Iris Tanenbaum, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Ben Stein.
 Mr. & Mrs. Erwin Tannhauser, in honor of their wedding anniversary.
 Mrs. Phyllis L. Weiner, in memory of her mother, Estelle Lifton.
 Mr. Jack Yadgaroff, in memory of his mother, Yeshoah Yadgaroff.

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Mrs. Irene Eisenberg, in honor of her 85th birthday.

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 Lionel, Alexander, Evan, Phyllis and Bernard Leventhal, in honor of Varda Hubara, with gratitude and eternal appreciation.
 Lionel, Alexander, Evan, Phyllis and Bernard Leventhal, in memory of Shirley Seiler, in celebration of her outstanding strengths, bequeathed.
 Mrs. Phyllis Leventhal, in memory of her father, Dr. Leo Braun.
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Mr. Arthur Ascher, in memory of his mother, Rose Ascher.
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